



Côte de Duras Blanc



AOC LEVEL

Regional.

GRAPE VARIETIES

Semillon, Sauvignon.

AREA OF PRODUCTION

The Côtes de Duras is one of the vineyards of the Lot-et Garonne “département” and produces both red and white wines, although the latter are predominant. The vineyards are located in the northwestern part of the “département”, between the Gironde “département” and the Dordogne “département”.

GEOLOGY

Neutral or acid soils, sometimes with siliceous-clay content, on Oligocenic (Tertiary) limestones. The Côtes de Duras vineyards cover about 2, 000 hectares planted on the summits or south slopes of the hills. Average production is 100, 000 hectolitres, of which 3/4 are white wines.

VINIFICATION

Made in temperature-controlled vats as dry white wine.

MATURATION

Matured for 4 to 7 months in stainless-steel vats.

